

No. 141.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following Account, duly certified, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES in Circulation in Hongkong, during the Month ending 30th June, 1878, is published for general information.

By Command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 12th July, 1878.

J. M. PRICE,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

BANKS.	AVERAGE AMOUNT.	SPECIE IN RESERVE.
	\$	\$
Oriental Bank Corporation,	289,037	100,000
Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China,.....	440,307	150,000
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,	777,008	300,000
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,	1,029,527	500,000
TOTAL,.....\$	2,535,879	1,050,000

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His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Messrs. A. R. MADAR and G. L. TOMLIN, Valuators for the current year.

By Command.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 13th July, 1878.

J. M. PRICE,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

(In continuation of the Colonial Surgeon's Report published in the last issue of the Government Gazette.)

XII.—TABLE showing the RATE of SICKNESS and MORTALITY in VICTORIA GAOL, during the Year 1877.

Total No. of Prisoners Admitted to Gaol.	Daily Average No. of Prisoners.	Total Sick in Hospital.	Total Trifling Cases.	Total Deaths.	No. of Prisoners liberated on Medical Grounds.	Serious Sickness to Total.	Rate of Sickness.		Rate of Mortality.	
							To Total.	To Average.	To Total.	To Average.
54		246	50	7	9	6.205	7.467	3.132	0.176	1.771

NOTE.—Two of the Deaths were by suicide.

A SUMMARY of DEATHS and their CAUSES, in VICTORIA GAOL, during the Year 1877.

No.	ADMITTED TO GAOL.	NAME.	SENTENCE.	DATE OF SENTENCE.	ADMITTED TO GAOL HOSPITAL.	DATE OF DEATH.	DISEASE OR CAUSE OF DEATH.
1	28th Aug., 1876,	Tang-a-Fat,	20 years	28th Aug., 1876,	8th Jan., 1877,	13th Jan., 1877,	Paralysis.
2	8th Mar., 1877,	Tang-a-Hon,	4 months	8th Mar., 1877,	Nil	12th Mar., 1877,	Suicide by strangulation.
3	30th Apr., 1877,	Lau-a-Wan,	1 month	30th Apr., 1877,	30th Apr., 1877,	2nd May, 1877,	General Debility.
4	27th Apr., 1877,	Leung-Sing-Fuk,	Remand	27th Apr., 1877,	Nil	13th May, 1877,	Suicide by Strangulation.
5	10th Aug., 1877,	Henry Holmes,	2 years	22nd June, 1877,	7th Sept., 1877,	13th Sept., 1877,	Diarrhoea.
6	18th Aug., 1877,	Mok-a-Kwai,*	For trial	28th Aug., 1877,	22nd Aug., 1877,	28th Sept., 1877,	Phthisis and Anemia.
7	29th Oct., 1877,	Chun-a-Sing,	2 months	29th Oct., 1877,	9th Dec., 1877,	10th Dec., 1877,	Serous Apoplexy.

* An old offender who had been four times flogged.

XIV.—TABLE of STATISTICS relating to the TUNG WA HOSPITAL, during the Year 1877.

REMAINING IN HOSPITAL ON THE 1ST JAN., 1877.		ADMITTED DURING 1877.		TOTAL CASES TREATED IN THE HOSPITAL.		DIS-CHARGED.		DIED.		NUMBER OF OUT-PATIENTS TREATED AT THE HOSPITAL.			DEATH RATE PER CENT. INCLUDING INCURABLES AND MORIBUND CASES.			DEATH RATE IN THE TOTAL OF THE 56,466 TREATED AT AND IN THE HOSPITAL.		REMAINING IN HOSPITAL ON 1ST JANUARY, 1878.	
Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Per Cent.	Male.	Female.	
66	17	1,130	279	1,196	296	677	88	431	193	47,167	7,807	54,974	36.04	65.2	41.823	1.105	88	15	

Number of Cases brought in a Moribund State:—Males, 183; Females, 52; Total, 235.

XIVa.—VACCINATIONS performed during the Year 1877 by TRAVELLING VACCINATORS of the TUNG WAH HOSPITAL.

IN THE CITY OF VICTORIA.	IN VILLAGES AND RURAL DISTRICTS.	TOTAL NUMBER OF VACCINATIONS.
1,063	5,641	6,704